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Boys' Percal Wash Pants, 8c pair.

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OUR Stock of
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Greatly Reduced
Prices, and
On Credit.

If you want a snap bargain in Willow and Rattan Rockers, Lawn Settees, Baby Carriages, or Go-Carts, now is the time to buy. In spite of reduced prices, you are as welcome as ever to credit. Make weekly or monthly payments, arranged to suit you.

GROGAN'S
Mammoth
Credit
House,
117, 119, 121, 123 7th St. N. W.,
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KNABE
PianosOther Make Uprights at All Prices.
PIANOS FOR RENT.

Wm. Knabe & Co.,
1209 Pa. Ave. N. W.

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NO CHARGE for
Painless Extracting
when teeth are or-
dered.
WE GUARANTEE A FIT OR NO PAY.
Gold Fillings, \$1 up; Silver Fillings, 50c up.
Gold Crowns, \$3 to \$5.
Washington Dental Parlor, 7th and E sts.

WE DEMONSTRATE
our skill by the beautiful
color we give our gold fill-
ings, and the natural look
of our gold crowns and
bridges. Positively painless extraction
of teeth. Reduced rates for summer months.
Cleaning, extracting, examination, and esthetic
treatment free.

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ENTRANCE ON 12TH ST.
Opposite Raleigh Hotel.
Hours, 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.; Sundays,
9 to 4 p. m.

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Open Until 11 o'clock Saturday
Nights,
But Closed All Day Sundays.

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can be taken away by using

TALCUTINE,
a delightfully soft toilet powder—a favorite with
refined people. Sold and GUARANTEED at all
drug and department stores.

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PURITY ICE CO.,
THE ONLY ICE COMPANY IN THE CITY NOT
IN THE TRUST.

Orders placed with us now will be promptly
filled at least 50% price.
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Highest of all in leavening
strength.—U. S. Government Report.

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ELIGANT
FOR PREMIUM STAMPS
KING'S PALACE,
812-814 7th St. 715 Market Space.

BARONESS VON KETTELER

Widow of the German Minister
Was Born in Baltimore.

She First Saw the Light in Fort Mc-
Henry When Her Father Was
a Lieutenant in the Army—Daugh-
ter of the Present President of
the Michigan Central Railway.

BALTIMORE, July 12.—The people of this city feel an unusual interest in the fate of the Baroness Von Ketteler, the wife of the German Minister, who was murdered by the Boxers at Peking on June 18. Madame Von Ketteler, who was formerly Miss Maud Ledyard, was a native of Baltimore. Her father, Henry B. Ledyard, is now president of the Michigan Central Railroad, but between the years 1862 and 1870 he was a lieutenant in the United States Army, and during part of that time was stationed at Fort McHenry. On October 15, 1867, he married Miss Mary L. Ledyard. Their daughter, Maud, was born during their residence at Fort McHenry.

Nothing definite is known of the fate of the Baroness Von Ketteler. The American ambassador was attacked by Chinese troops and Boxers while riding on Legation street, was dragged from his horse and killed. His body was brutally mutilated. The German Legation and other buildings were burned and a number of the servants of the legation were killed. A week before the murder of the baroness the members of the Ledyard family received word by cable, at their home in Detroit, that the baroness was with her husband in Peking and both were safe. Whether she has found her way to some place or whether she has been butchered also is unknown.

The baroness was well known in America. She was first secretary of the German Embassy from 1892 to 1896, and it was while she was living in Washington that she made the acquaintance of Miss Ledyard, who was visiting in the home of Senator McMillan. The marriage took place in Detroit in 1897. Baron von Ketteler at that time was minister to Mexico.

Captain Ledyard, the commanding officer at Fort McHenry, said yesterday that he was living at Fort McHenry when Mr. Ledyard was stationed there. Captain Ledyard at that time was second lieutenant in Colonel Beach's battery of the Fourth Artillery, and Mr. Ledyard was first lieutenant in Major Rodney's battery.

"Do you see that open space over there near the water front?" the captain said, pointing to a place opposite the commanding officer's house. Lieutenant Ledyard's house stood there. It was torn down several years ago and the open space left, when some improvements were made in the fort.

"Mr. Ledyard was very highly thought of while he was in the army. He has had an interesting career. He was born in France in 1841—his father was secretary of the United States Legation there at that time. He was appointed cadet-at-large to West Point in 1861 by President Lincoln and was graduated from there in 1865. He was promoted to the first lieutenant on the day of his graduation, was transferred to the Thirty-seventh Infantry September 21, 1866, and transferred from that to the Fourth Artillery February 23, 1867.

"My acquaintance with him began in 1867 when we were both stationed at Fort Harker, in Kansas. In the fall of '67 he was sent to West Point and made assistant professor of French. He was relieved from duty at West Point in 1869 and ordered to Fort McHenry, where he joined Battery D, of the Fourth Artillery, then commanded by Major (now Lieutenant Colonel) Rodney.

"In the meantime he had married Miss L. Hommedieu, the daughter of a railroad president. Miss Maud Ledyard was born while Lieutenant and Mrs. Ledyard were living here. In 1870 Mr. Ledyard retired from the army, and since then he has had the position of authority after another, until now he is president of the Michigan Central."

Lieutenant Ledyard, who was killed in Manila about six months ago, was a son of H. B. Ledyard, Lewis Chase Ledyard, of New York, the Commodore of the New York Yacht Club, is also a son of Mr. Ledyard.

BEAR TERRORIZES A VILLAGE.

Beats Around the Fury of an Intoxicated Beast.

ALTOONA, Pa., July 12.—An intoxicated dancing bear and his French keeper created more turmoil at the town of Listie, near here, yesterday, than was ever known before. For several hours the bear had entire possession of the streets.

The trouble was caused by the Frenchman and his bear falling in with a crowd of Italians just before they reached Listie. The Italians were drinking of a keg of beer. When he became known that Bruin was a drinker plenty of beer was given him. He squatted on his haunches and drained the bucket as often as it was passed. The bear soon became exhausted and the keeper went to sleep. The bear also slumbered in a shady nook nearby.

Two boys who saw the keeper in his slumbers concluded to have sport with Bruin, and poked him with a stick. They aroused his wrath, and both becoming frightened, started into Listie with Bruin in hot pursuit. Rushing angrily along the street the bear jumped at a man and woman, but missed them. Then he seized a man named Dietz, a powerfully built fellow, and in the wrestle that followed the bear landed on top. He bit Dietz through the muscles of the right arm and would have killed him had not several men rushed to the rescue.

Bruin then started for a child on a barber shop door stoop. The child was pulled inside just in time. From the barber shop the bear went to the village store. He sniffed around the building while people inside were planning to kill him. At this moment the Frenchman appeared on the scene and conquered the bear.

A Jersey Swimmer Drowned.

BRIDGEPORT, N. J., July 12.—On Wednesday night Charles Harkins, with a companion, went to bathing in a pond. The pair remained in a long while, and, becoming tired, Harkins' companion dressed and left the former in the water. Yesterday morning Harkins' clothing was found, and the young man was missing. There is little doubt that he was drowned. The pond and raceway have been dragged, but without success.

Second Attempt at Suicide.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., July 12.—William J. Lewis, made an attempt at suicide yesterday. With the corner of a hatchet he cut a hole in his throat large enough to insert his fingers and then he opened the wound with his hands. A year ago Lewis jumped off a bridge into Loyalsock Creek.

Heurich's beers are strengthening and medicinal. They are brewed of absolutely the best malt and hops, and are unexcelled as a wholesome beverage. Heurich's is on draught or in bottles at all hotels and restaurants. Call for it or phone 634, Arlington Hotel, Va., for a case of Maccus, Senate or Lager.

An Inexpensive Luxury.

The Sporty Boy, 5 cent cigar.

Use Allen's Foot-Ease in Your Shoes
A lady writes: "I shake Allen's Foot-Ease into my gloves and rub it with my hands. It saves my gloves by absorbing perspiration. It is a most dainty toilet powder. We invite the attention of physicians and nurses to the absolute purity of Allen's Foot-Ease. Dr. W. C. Abbott, editor of the 'Chicago Post,' says: 'It is a good preparation; I am using it constantly in my practice.'"

All drug and shoe stores sell it; 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address: Allen S. Clement, Le Roy, N. Y.

Don't Forget We Close Our Three Stores on Saturday at 9 p. m. Please Shop Early.

Hahn's 3 Big Shoe Stocks
to be completely sold out.

Once every six months we sell out our three great stocks of Shoes entirely. When the fall season opens you will hardly see a pair of shoes on our shelves that is here now.

We accomplish this rare mercantile feat by cutting prices boldly, often regardless of the actual value of the shoes. Every shoe is reduced in price—and as there is no old or undesirable stock in either of our three stores, you can depend on securing the best and greatest shoe bargains it is possible to find anywhere in America.

Every shoe is guaranteed for wear, and these are some of the prices that go in to effect tomorrow morning at 8 a. m.:

Ladies'.

The best made black
vici kid and imported
patent leather boots; over
20 styles; regular \$2.50
grades.
CLOSING PRICE.....

Best in the world, hand-
sewed tan or black kid,
also guaranteed patent
leather Oxford Ties.
CLOSING PRICE.....

Elegant hand-sewed,
nobly styled Oxford
Ties, turn or welted,
extension edge soles, regu-
lar \$2.50 grades.
CLOSING PRICE.....

Most any pretty style
you want of tan and black
kid boots, and tan or
black kid and canvas
Oxford Ties. The usual
\$2.00 ones.
CLOSING PRICE.....

\$1.50 and \$1.25 grade
high-cut Oxford Ties,
and high-cut boots; good
for wear and perfect fitting.
CLOSING PRICE.....

Very durable black kid
\$1.00 Oxford Ties, hand-
sew with tips or plain
wide toes.
CLOSING PRICE.....

95c
59c

Men's.

Our finest \$5 and \$4
French patent kid and
black, best kid, and
call Oxford, Button, and
Laced.
CLOSING PRICE.....

Guaranteed ideal patent
leather kid, or best qual-
ity black kid, and black
Oxford and Shoes.
CLOSING PRICE.....

Highest grade crash lin-
en white duck and fine
hand-made tan and black
leather Shoes and Oxford.
CLOSING PRICE.....

Fine \$3 hand-sewed tan
vici kid, and white linen
laced Shoes and Oxford
Ties, the greatest and
best leather goods.
CLOSING PRICE.....

Black and tan vici kid
or satin calf Oxford Ties,
75c quality, fully
worth \$2.00.
CLOSING PRICE.....

Best quality Men's brown
and white Ties, Oxford
Ties, 75c quality.
CLOSING PRICE.....

47c

Children's.

Boys' \$1 hand-made pat-
ent leather vici kid and
tan chrome calf Boys
Shoes.
CLOSING PRICE.....

Misses' finest \$2.50 kid
and guaranteed patent
leather Dress and Walking
Boots styles.
CLOSING PRICE.....

Boys' and Girls' tan
calf and best vici kid
Shoes, in a variety of ap-
propriate shapes; excellent
weaters.
CLOSING PRICE.....

Boys', Youth's, and
Misses' \$2 quality black
and chocolate vici kid
Oxford Shoes, in all
shapes; stout soles.
CLOSING PRICE.....

Misses' and Little Girls'
\$1 grade tan and black
kid and calf Laced, But-
ton, and Sandals; good
weaters.
CLOSING PRICE.....

Boys' Outing Shoes,
brown canvas, with war-
ranted rubber soles.
CLOSING PRICE.....

67c
35c

Wm. Hahn & Co.'s
THREE RELIABLE SHOE HOUSES

Cor. Seventh and K Sts.

1914 and 1916 Pa. Ave.

233 Pa. Ave. S. E.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Ross announce
the marriage of their daughter, Ethel De-
mar, to Mr. Royal Ogden Kloefer, All of
Washington.

Mrs. Thomas M. Gale and Miss Gale are
spending the summer at Poland Springs, Me.

Mrs. Benjamin Butterworth is spending
the summer with her son-in-law and
daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Hazelton,
at their new home, "Mimosa," on San
Pablo Bay, near San Rafael, Cal.

Miss Gertrude B. Davis is one of a large
house party of guests now being enter-
tained by Mrs. R. H. Thomas, of Phila-
delphia, at her summer home at Bar Har-
bor.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Mattingly will leave
about the middle of the month to join
their son, who has taken a ranch in Colo-
rado. While West they will also visit their
son-in-law and daughter, Lieutenant and
Mrs. Breckinridge, near Detroit, where the
former is stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Lane have re-
turned from Europe and are again at their
home, 1729 K Street.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Maury have
joined the Washington colony at Green-
brier White Sulphur Springs.

Miss Doughty, of this city, is at Belvue
Cottage, Blue Ridge, Summit, Pa.

The marriage was announced in a Lon-
don paper, July 10, of "Gennaro, son of
Countess Vessichio de Castelmendardo, to
Edith Van Buren, of New Jersey." Miss
Van Buren, who has been a frequent in-
ter visitor to the Capital, is the daughter
of Mrs. H. S. Van Buren, of Englewood,
N. J., but spends the greater part of the
year in New York.

Mrs. William Walter Phelps is her
aunt. At the Battle of Flowers held at
Nice last March, Miss Van Buren was
award first prize, her victoria,
driven tandem, being transformed into
an enormous cornucopia piled with
flowers. She managed her equipage, it
was said on that occasion, with the grace
of a Diana and the skill of a man. When
at home her stable at Englewood was one
of the best equipped in New Jersey.

Mrs. Abner McKinley and Miss Endsley
are occupying a suite of apartments at the
Dennis, Atlantic City. They will be joined
by Mr. McKinley in a few days.

TRANSIT COMPANY SUE.

Attorney General Takes Action
Against the St. Louis Syndicate.

ST. LOUIS, July 12.—Attorney General
Crow, has filed suit in the St. Louis Circuit
Court to annul the purchase of the St. Louis
Southern Electric Railway by the St. Louis
Transit Company. The case will be a test
one, and if it wins, will break up the en-
tire deal by which the St. Louis Transit
Company was organized.

The suit is brought to annul the deeds of
transfer of the Southern Electric Railway
to the United States Railways and to en-
join and restrain the United Railways Com-
pany and the St. Louis Transit Company
from carrying out the agreement entered
into in that deed. It is charged in the pe-
tition that the rights of certain minority
stockholders have not been considered and
the suit is brought to restore them to their
rights.

End of the Elks' Session.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 12.—The
Thirty-sixth Annual Meeting of the Grand
Lodge of the Benevolent and Protective
Order of Elks, which organized here Tues-
day, concluded its deliberations here and,
after installing the newly elected officers,
adjourned yesterday to meet in Milwaukee
next year. The business transacted re-
lated to the discussion of proposed changes
and amendments to the by-laws.

THE APPETITE OF A GOAT

Is covet by all whose stomachs and livers are
out of order. But such should know that Dr.
King's New Life Pills give a splendid appetite,
sound digestion, and a regular bodily habit; that
ensures perfect health and great energy. Only 25
cents, at Henry Evans' drug store, 922 F Street.

Banyadi János
For Constipation.

SOCIETY AT CAPE NOME.

A Sort of Badge of Honor for Women
to Work.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 12.—Miss Ellen
Courtney, the adventurous Edgefield coun-
try girl, who has been spending the last
month in Nome, Alaska, has written a
letter to her South Carolina relatives
that throws new light on the social life
of that country, besides containing much
interesting information on other subjects.

The letter, written on June 12, chroni-
cles the end of the hibernating season, the
arrival of several steam whalers, with
freight and passengers, and the advent of
fresh meat. The oranges in the first case
brought ashore, sold for \$1 each.

The steamers brought lumber, which caused the
price at Nome to fall from \$50 a thousand
feet to \$15 a thousand. Miss Courtney
writes:

"Let jumping has been the bane of our
lives since the new people began to ar-
rive. Many people who have spent the
long winter in this prison of ice and ac-
quired their town property by purchase
have been forced to hold it with out-
lets. Several shooting scrapes have oc-
curred since the influx of people from
Dawson over the ice. Real estate values
are away up, some property selling for
from \$250 to \$500 a front foot. Twelve
United States Marshals have been ap-
pointed to prevent forcible seizures by
newcomers, and when this force becomes
insufficient United States soldiers will go
to their assistance.

"Some twelve or fifteen hundred people
made the trip from Dawson over the ice.
The distance is about 1,500 miles as the
crows flies. Fully forty women made the
entire trip. One man came through
with his bride on a wedding trip. The
nights were usually spent in 'glows'
(Eskimo houses). The condition of these
places is unspeakable and unsanitary and
filth. 'Maunching,' however, is not so
difficult an undertaking as the outside
world imagines. A jaunt of a hundred
miles is nothing at all for even a woman,
in this climate. You do not feel exhaust-
ion—only stiffness the first few days. Sev-
eral dog teams went through holes in the
ice while making the trip from Dawson,
and the unfortunate owners lost all they
possessed.

"There are some half dozen rich mining
districts along this coast, and there is no
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Specialized
Gloves.

This is the period when glove sell-
ing needs the help of the reduction
blade. We've taken the desired
measures to do the business tomorrow
that will be flattering in the heart
of the season. Of course, you will
see the advantage in the following
offers. Gloves for summer wear.

\$1 Chamois
Gloves..... 49c.

Made as only the best dollar glove
can be, fit as only perfect gloves can
fit. NO CHANGE FOR ADJUSTMENT.
Special arrangements made to please and family
gatherings on the Old Mill Road grounds.
Acres of ground—picturesque surroundings.

Silk
Gloves, 60c.

A mighty fine one, too. Thin, yet
durable for wear, double finger tips
and all colors. Imagine, 60c.

Lisle
Gloves, 25 and 50c

Louvre Glove Co.,
931 F St. N. W.

without shame of sham. It is a sort of
badge of honor for a woman to work,
though she does not realize the fortune
thereof that might be imagined. The oth-
er class is the favored one. These people
are given advantage and assistance
'strikes,' and it is they who usually make
the fortunes you read about at home. It is
possible, however, for a good woman to
succeed here, but she has a pretty hard
time of it, and struggles pretty much un-
aided. There are a few happy exceptions
among the men, and in these instances they
thoroughly reverence and appreciate a
good, true woman. Still, conditions are
hard, and it is a desolate sort of existence
at best, though a woman is not subjected
to oppression from even the worst class of
men.

"It is a sad fact that the conditions of
this country seem to call forth or develop
all that is in both men and women. The
avarice, dishonesty, utter disregard of
truth, and lack of all the 'milk of human
kindness,' make one's very heart sick. You
do not extend courtesy, courtesy to the
newcomers, who are without means to the
extent of allowing them to camp on your
premises, for in such cases they claim such
ground as they camp upon, for which you
have, in most instances, paid a high price."

Miss